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Conference



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Women in Politics: Global Perspectives

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Overview

Women in Politics: Global Perspectives is a one-day workshop featuring three panels of speakers with planned discussion and extended opportunity for informal communication. Three panels will be convened: (1) Women and Democracy, National Security, and Conflict, (2) Women's Global Organizing, and (3) Women in Politics - Gaining Access, Changing Institutions.

The goal of the panels is to demonstrate multiple approaches to the same topics, spark conversations about fruitful ways to explain women's representation in regions and countries where traditional explanations are less helpful, and provide the backdrop for facilitated

discussions of practical concerns in researching women in politics globally.

Participants

- [Aili Tripp](#), Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin
- [Elisabeth Jay Friedman](#), Department of Politics, University of San Francisco
- [Georgina Waylen](#), Department of Politics, University of Sheffield
- [Hannah Britton](#), Department of Political Science, University of Kansas
- [Jocelyn Viterna](#), Department of Sociology, Harvard University
- [Laurel Weldon](#), Department of Political Science, Purdue University
- [Leslie Schwindt-Bayer](#), Department of Political Science, University of Missouri
- [Melanie Hughes](#), Department of Sociology, University of Pittsburgh
- [Miki Caul Kittilson](#), Department of Political Science, Arizona State
- [Mona Lena Krook](#), Departments of Politics and Women's Studies, Washington University
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